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Bull.....	bulletin	Pl	plate or plates
Cht.....	chart	P., pp.....	page, pages
Circ.....	circular	Pt., pts	part, parts
D. lat.....	degree of latitude	Ser.....	series
D. long.....	degree of longitude	Supp.....	supplement
Dept.....	department	Vol.....	volume
Dept. Circ.....	department circular	4°.....	quarto
Doc.....	document	8°.....	octavo
Ed.....	edition	12°.....	twelvemo
f°.....	folio	16°.....	sixteenmo
fo. l.....	folded leaves		

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Abandoned military reservation; act of February 15, 1895. Instructions to the Commissioner of the General Land Office. (Vol. 20, p. 568.)

Application to enter; appeal; settlement right. *Summers v. Eagle*. (Vol. 20, p. 550.)

Failure of applicant for public land to file a formal appeal from rejection of his application will not defeat his rights where by subsequent diligence he secures examination of record by General Land Office.

No rights on public land, as against adverse claimants, are secured by residence, where no steps are taken within proper time to protect alleged settlement right.

Coal land; declaratory statement. Case of Charles Lyon. (Vol. 20, p. 556.)

A coal land declaratory statement can not be filed for unsurveyed land.

Commutation of Oklahoma homestead for town site; school fund. (Vol. 20, p. 506.)

Sec. 22, act of May 2, 1890, contemplates payment to the town for school purposes, only of such sums as may be paid in commutation of homestead entries for town-site purposes on the purchase of the land at rate of \$10 per acre.

Confirmation; sec. 7, act of Mar. 3, 1891. *Day et al. v. Fogg*. (Vol. 20, p. 553.)

Entry erroneously canceled prior to act of Mar. 3, 1891, without opportunity of defense given to entryman, or bona fide incumbrancers, must be regarded, so far as incumbrancers are concerned, as an existing entry, and therefore within confirmatory provisions of sec. 7.

Desert-land entry; order of suspension. *Magner v. Lawrence* (Vol. 20, p. 548.)

The Departmental rule that excludes from the period allowed for the reclamation of land within a desert entry such time as said entry may be suspended is within the scope of administrative authority, and not violative of the desert-land law.

Hensley, Martin; motion for review of decision of Jan. 30, 1895, denied. (Vol. 20, p. 522.)

Homestead entry; Oklahoma lands; rehearing. *Brucker v. Buschmann*. (Vol. 20, p. 557.)

Deed executed prior to making of homestead entry, purporting to convey land then owned by entryman, and apparently made for purpose of conveying title in trust for benefit of entryman, will not defeat inhibitory provision of statute limiting right of homestead entry to persons not owning 160 acres of land.

Rehearing will not be granted where it appears that on trial defendant rested his case on demurrer that was then overruled, and declined to introduce testimony on his own behalf.

— Sec. 2, act of June 15, 1880. *Quinn v. Tebay*. (Vol. 20 p. 528.)

Motion for review that raises question not in issue at hearing or before General Land Office or Department on appeal will not be granted.

Term "homestead laws," as used in proviso to sec. 2, act of June 15, 1880, is employed in a generic sense, and will include and protect an intervening desert-land entry.

Johnson v. Leavenworth; motion for hearing in case denied. (Vol. 20, p. 527.)

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Mining claim; character of land. *Crow v. Roberts*. (Vol. 20, p. 564.)

Where hearing is asked in order to show alleged agricultural character of a tract held as a mining claim, and that has once been adjudged mineral in proceedings instituted to determine the character of the land, the agricultural claimant should be required to allege and prove the abandonment or forfeiture of the mining claim.

Mulligan v. Stalter; motion for review of decision of Mar. 19, 1895, denied. (Vol. 20, p. 526.)

Oklahoma town site; public park reserve. Case of Joseph E. Dolezal. (Vol. 20, p. 524.)

The approved survey of a town site, showing a reservation for public park precludes allowance of town-lot entry of land so reserved.

Practice; affidavit; attorney; officer. *Werden v. Schlecht et al.* (Vol. 20, p. 523.)

Affidavit of a party taken before his attorney, as notary public, will not be accepted by the Department.

An attorney will not be recognized in a case where it appears that he is an officer of the Department.

— Appeal; review; application to enter. *McMichael v. Murphy et al.* (Vol. 20, p. 535.)

In computation of the time for appeal from General Land Office, where motion for review has intervened, appellant is entitled to ten days, independently of the same period given for filing review, where notices of Commissioner's action are sent through the mails by the local office.

Rights of an appellant are not prejudiced by negligence of the local officers.

Motion for review will not lie for consideration of a question not in issue when original decision was rendered.

No rights are secured under application to enter filed at a time when land is covered by record entry of another.

Application to enter land subject thereto is equivalent to actual entry so far as rights of applicant are concerned, and his heirs are entitled to complete the entry.

— Application for certiorari; appeal. *Blackwell Townsite v. Miner*. (Vol. 20, p. 544.)

Application for certiorari will not be granted where it appears that decision of General Land Office rendered substantial justice in the premises even though right of appeal is wrongfully denied.

— Rule 48; soldier's additional homestead; hearing. *Hamrick v. Butts et al.* and *Hamrick v. Sheppard et al.* (Vol. 20, p. 516.)

Failure to appeal from decision of local office will not preclude General Land Office from examination of facts where fraud or gross irregularity is suggested.

Soldier's additional homestead entry made under contract to sell land on issuance of final certificate should be canceled as speculative and fraudulent.

Acts of Mar. 3, 1893, and Aug. 18, 1894, do not contemplate perfection of soldier's additional homestead entry, made in person by soldier and without certificate of right.

Right of the Government to test validity of an entry in a direct proceeding is not defeated by failure in a collateral proceeding.

Preemption entry; sec. 2260, R. S. Case of James Cash. (Vol. 20, p. 508.)

Suit requested for recovery title where it appears that patent has issued to a preemptor that removed from land of his own in the same State to establish his residence on the preemption claim.

Railroad grant; lands excepted; homestead. Northern Pacific R. R. Co. (Vol. 20, p. 514.)

Land embraced within homestead entry at date of the granting act is excepted from operation thereof, whether perfected or not.

— Sec. 1, act of Apr. 21, 1876. Northern Pacific R. R. Co. v. Crosswhite. (Vol. 20, p. 526.)

Confirmatory provisions of sec. 1, act of Apr. 21, 1876, are not limited to entries made prior to passage of act.

Railroad lands; sec. 4, act of Mar. 3, 1887. Ruth v. Union Pacific Ry. Co. (Vol. 20, p. 505.)

When a railroad company has sold and conveyed land improperly patented to it, and received payment, right of entry by the company's grantee, with or without payment of the Government price of the land, will not be recognized while the patent in the name of the company is outstanding.

The grantee of the company in such case may reconvey title to the company and the company to the Government, and so enable the Department to issue patent to said grantee.

Railroad right of way; tramroad. Instructions. (Vol. 20, p. 509.)

Sec. 2288, R. S., amended by act of Mar. 3, 1891, authorizing settlers to execute conveyances of lands for "railroad" right-of-way purposes, is applicable to "tramroads," used in mining, quarrying, and manufacturing lumber.

Rankin, John M.; motion for review of decision of Mar. 28, 1895, denied. (Vol. 20, p. 528.)

Repayment; homestead entry; fees and commission. Case of E. Zenker. (Vol. 20, p. 551.)

Where a second homestead entry is allowed, the fees and commission paid on the first can not be returned if said entry was not erroneously allowed.

Scrip location; equitable adjudication. Case of M. W. G. Burgess. (Vol. 20, p. 502.)

Preemption entry in which land is paid for with surveyor-general's scrip, under act of Jan. 28, 1879, may be referred to board of equitable adjudication, if application to locate was irregularly made for aggregate amount as one location, instead of separately for each piece.

Settlement before survey; homestead entry; heirs. Patton v. George. (Vol. 20, p. 533.)

Where settler on unsurveyed land dies prior to survey thereof, and homestead entry is subsequently made for the heirs, it should be made for the benefit of "the heirs or devisee" of the deceased settler.

Sioux half-breed scrip; location; tide lands. Dearborn v. Langie. (Vol. 20, p. 530.)

Location of Sioux half-breed scrip on unsurveyed land is permissible, but until Government survey is filed scrip location remains unadjusted, and as said surveys are not extended over tide-water lands, right acquired by such location is not sufficient to defeat the title of the State, by virtue of its inherent sovereignty over land within its limits below ordinary high-water mark.

Sioux Indian lands; allotment. *Crow v. Knowles et al.* (Vol. 20, p. 562.)

Right of an Indian under sec. 13, act of Mar. 2, 1889, to take as his allotment land on which he was residing at the time said act became effective, cuts off all intervening adverse claims.

State selection; lands restored to public domain. *Case of State of Mississippi.* (Vol. 20, p. 510.)

Right of State under act of June 20, 1894, to select lands for university purposes from those restored to public domain by act of Mar. 2, 1895, does not extend to lands restored by said act that were by terms thereof set apart for entry under town-site laws.

Supervisory jurisdiction; final proof proceedings. *Langford v. Butler.* (Vol. 20, p. 570.)

In absence of adverse claim and where showing of good faith is made, pre-emptor may be allowed to submit new final proof, where first is found irregular and insufficient.

Swineford et al. *v. Piper*; motion for review of decision of July 2, 1894, denied. (Vol. 20, p. 524.)

Timber-land entry; married women; transferee. *Case of S. W. Tate.* (Vol. 20, p. 552.)

In absence of adverse claim, timber-land entry made by married woman, and held by a transferee, will not be canceled for want of affidavit required of married woman on submission of final proof where her sole interest is set forth in preliminary affidavit, and in final proof it is alleged entry is made for her sole use and benefit, and where she refuses to make such affidavit except on payment of further sum by transferee.

— Proof and payment. *Case of J. M. McDonald.* (Vol. 20, p. 559.)

There is no authority to allow a timber-land applicant, who has published notice of intention to purchase a tract, to republish the notice and thereafter make proof and payment, and thus in effect secure additional time.

Town-lot contest; survey; occupancy. *J. F. McGrath et al.* (Vol. 20, p. 542.)

Trustees of a town site have no authority to make a deed before tract has been surveyed and platted into lots and blocks, streets and alleys, nor are they authorized to make deed to portion of a street or alley, or to execute deeds to lots otherwise than as they are surveyed and platted.

One who takes possession of a town lot by force or fraud, or maintains occupancy as the tenant of another, is not thereby invested with a right to a deed, as against either his landlord or the rightful claimant.

Decisions in pension cases

Adulterous cohabitation. *Case of Eliza Fain, widow.* No. 231. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 572.)

Adulterous cohabitation of a widow subsequent to passage of act of Aug. 7, 1882, works forfeiture of her pension from the commencement of such cohabitation.

Deserter; discharge; res judicata. *Case of Peter Kenney.* No. 236. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 588.)

1. A soldier who is a deserter from the military service and has never been discharged is not pensionable under any law for any period subsequent to his said enlistment and desertion.

2. When a soldier was discharged to reenlist and did reenlist as a veteran volunteer, and thereafter deserted and never returned to or was discharged from the service, he is not pensionable under any law.

3. Where a pension certificate has been issued to such a deserter, under a misapprehension of the facts and contrary to law, the Secretary of the Interior has power to refuse payment thereon, and the doctrine of res judicata does not apply in such a case.

Disloyalty; evidence. Case of Aug. B. Longee. No. 235. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 586.)

1. Where there is a record of service in Confederate army, it will be presumed that service was voluntary, but such presumption may be rebutted.

2. Where service in Confederate army is shown by a claimant's record, the burden of proof is on him to show that such service was not voluntary.

3. Where the record shows that a claimant voluntarily engaged in the rebellion, his claim should be rejected.

4. A claimant who was conscripted into the Confederate army, and where from the record it appears that any service rendered was not voluntary, but wholly compulsory, he is excepted from the operation of section 4716, R. S.

5. The sufficiency of the evidence to rebut the presumption of voluntary service in the Confederate army must depend on the circumstances.

Fee agreement; indorsements. Case of C. V. Selkirk, claimant. No. 230. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 576.)

Writing on the face margin of a fee agreement, not referred to in the body thereof, is no part of such agreement, and will not be considered.

Fee; forfeiture; attorneyship. Case of John S. Keisor, claimant. No. 233. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 558.)

1. Where an attorney, entitled to information as to effect of evidence filed by him, has asked for such information, and the Bureau has failed to furnish it, such failure is error.

2. Where an attorney, entitled as aforesaid, has made proper call for status, subsequent filing of similar calls at intervals of a year or less is not necessary to preservation of his right to recognition.

Insanity; declaration; prochein ami. Case of Joseph Crawford, insane, by next friend. No. 232. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 582.)

A person non compos mentis, without a committee or guardian, may file a valid declaration for pension by a competent person as next friend, but before payment a guardian or committee must be appointed.

Jurisdiction; decree; divorce. Case of Susan McLeod, alleged widow. No. 237. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 590.)

A decree of divorce rendered by an Ohio court can not be set aside twenty two years thereafter, and eleven years after the death of one of the parties, by said court so as to give the woman so divorced a pensionable status.

Limitation; motions to reconsider; practice. Case of Byron L. Streeter. No. 238. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 594.)

Attorney will be allowed 90 days to file motion for reconsideration of a Departmental decision affirming action of Bureau of Pensions in rejecting claim, allowing unsatisfactory rate, or denying right to recognition or fee.

Marriage; evidence. Case of Rachel Harvey, alleged widow. No. 241. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 600.)

Claimant and soldier having been married when both were aware that soldier had a wife living from whom he had not been divorced, their cohabitation was illicit, and, in the absence of proof of a change to a matrimonial relation after soldier's wife procured a divorce, it will be presumed that the original illicit relation has continued, and she will be held not to be legal widow.

Rate; aid and attendance; insanity. Case of T. L. Hurst, insane. No. 234. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 583.)

A claimant, in a State hospital for the insane, who is unable to shave, bathe, or dress himself, is incapacitated for performance of manual labor, and who can not be permitted to go alone out of his ward, requires such aid and attendance as is contemplated by the act of July 14, 1892, so as to be entitled to a pension at the rate of \$50 a month.

Restoration; service; act of June 27, 1890. Case of Joseph S. Edsall. No. 239. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 595.)

1. A pay clerk in the Navy is an officer in the naval service.
2. Appellant's name having been placed on pension roll under act of June 27, 1890. and never formally dropped, he is entitled to pension for such period as he was not in military or naval service.

Service; Revenue Marines; sec. 2757 R. S.; act of June 27, 1890. Case of David Oliver. No. 240. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 597.)

1. Those only are pensionable under section 2, act of June 27, or their widows and minor children under section 3, who were regularly enlisted men or officers in Army or Navy.
2. Those who served in the Revenue Marine on vessels which cooperated, by direction of the President, with the Navy, were not in the Navy, and are not pensionable, nor their widows or minor children. Case of Louis Schaffer (vol. 6, p. 137), overruled in part.

Vicious habits; evidence. Case of John Martin. No. 233. (Pension Decisions, vol. 7, p. 578.)

1. Where a claimant, under section 2, act of June 27, 1890, can not furnish testimony of persons having knowledge of circumstances under which his disability was incurred, and there is nothing to create suspicion that it was caused by "vicious habits," his own affidavit, with testimony of two credible witnesses showing that he was a man of good habits, will suffice.
2. Where there are grounds for suspecting that the disability is a result of vicious habits the evidence necessary to overcome that suspicion will vary according to circumstances.
3. In general, where there is no ground for suspecting vicious habits, and claimant has been a man of good habits and repute for credibility, the presumption should be in favor of the claim.

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